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GIANT AIR SHIP EXPLODES ON TRIAL TRIP, DROPPING CREW OF SIXTEEN TO GROUND

Men Become Panic Stricken,
Many Jump and All
Are Hurt.

10,000 WATCH ACCIDENT

Butterfly Shaped Craft 300
Feet Above Earth
Explodes.

OAKLAND, Cal., May 23.—A giant

ship on its trial trip in Berkeley to-

day rose 300 feet from the earth before

it exploded, tilted, burst and then

dropped to the ground with a crew of

sixteen men aboard, every one of whom

was injured. By a peculiar and for

tunate chain of circumstances the six

teen men miraculously escaped death

and one, is expected to die. The

others were seriously hurt, and nine se-

verely bruised are suffering more from

shock than anything else.

Following is the list of injured:

J. A. Merrill, inventor of the air

ship, right leg broken and bruised.

E. T. Taylor, aeronaut, broken ankle

broken, injured spine.

O. A. Nelson, one of the crew, broken

leg and injured back.

C. A. Nelson, engineer, fractured pel-

vis and injuries to his back.

G. Whipple, engineer, broken ribs and

probable internal injuries.

L. V. Rogers, engineer, fractured

leg, contusions all over his body;

seriously injured and will probably

die.

R. C. Wallis, newspaper photographer,

San Francisco, injured foot, bruised

and suffering from shock.

Justin Barber, photographer, Berke-

ley, ribs broken and bruised.

The accident was a spectacular and

catastrophic one. The butterfly shaped

craft had been inflated with illumina-

ting gas. The stay ropes were cut

and the air ship rose slowly from the

ground. Five gasoline engines suspended

from the big bag at intervals of

about fifty feet, each attended by an

engineer, were not put in operation un-

til the ship was well up in the air, when

the engines slowly set in motion the

propellers reaching out from either

side of the ship.

The engines were suspended independ-

ent of each other and the weight did

not appear to be equalized. For before

the ship could be propelled further than

a few feet, the forward end tilted down-

ward and the air ship stood at an angle

of forty-five degrees, suspended in the

air.

The engineers and other members of

the crew seemed to lose their heads, and

instead of running along the canvas

walkway in order to equalize the weight

and right the ship, they clung desper-

ately to the netting and the frail su-

perstructure.

The rush of gas to the stern end and

the tremendous weight of the engines

and crew caused the nose to substan-

tially collapse to burst with a ripping

noise. The release of the great quan-

tity of gas allowed the ship to settle

slowly towards the earth and for a few

moments it looked as if it would come

down slow enough to avoid injury to

the men. Some lost their heads before

the machine could reach the ground

and jumped. These escaped with broken

limbs or severe bruises.

Nearing the earth the gas escaped

with a rush and allowed the engines

NEW YORK JUSTICE OF PEACE DECLARES HE MARRIED PRINCE AND MME. GOULD IN APRIL

NEW YORK, May 23.—The American will say tomorrow that it secured tonight a definite confirmation of the report that Mme. Gould was the bride of Prince Helie de Sagan when they sailed for Europe aboard different steamships on April 11.

The American will say that the two were married at 404 Washington street, Hoboken, N. J., on April 10, and will quote Justice of the Peace W. C. Buden-

bender as admitting that he performed the ceremony.

The American will say:

"Only the greatest persuasion induced Justice Budenbender to tell of the wedding. But because of his worry in not filing the record of the wedding, he concluded it best to change his course a trifle.

"Yes, it is true. I won't deny it. I married them," he said.

WANTS PART OF TO TRY LAMPHERE ON ACCESSORY INDEMNITY RE- TURNED CHARGE

Congressman Says It Would
Be Act of Justice
To China.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The joint resolution providing for the remission of a portion of the Chinese indemnity, arising out of the Boxer troubles of 1900, came up in the house today under suspension of the rules. Representative Denby of Michigan, briefly rehearsed the incidents in connection with the outbreak and said the proposed remission would be an act of supreme justice and generosity.

China, he said, had already paid \$2,450,000 of the sum, \$2,000,000 of which had gone toward liquidating private claims.

Representative Denby assured "the house that even with the remission of \$10,800,000 there would still remain ample funds with which to pay all claims."

The action of the committee on foreign affairs in amending the resolution so as to increase by \$2,000,000 the amount of the indemnity to be paid, as well as providing for a review by court claims, disallowed, whole or in part, was severely condemned by Representative Stafford of Wisconsin.

"The question is," said he, "whether Secretary Root shall be upheld or whether some claimant shall have an opportunity of looting the treasury."

SCOT'S ALIEN LABOR CASE SETTLED AT LAST

By a stipulation signed by United States Attorney Alexander and counsel for the defendant, judgment in the sum of \$2,000 and costs was rendered against the Arizona Copper company for violation of the alien contract labor law in the United States court yesterday by Judge Nave.

The Arizona Copper company, which is a Scotch organization, was charged by the government with bringing four young men to the United States from Scotland under contract to do clerical work in the company's office. The government asked \$4,000 damages.

EXTRA OFFICERS FOR THE POLLS MONDAY

The city council held a meeting yesterday and instructed Marshal C. C. Carico to appoint extra officers to be posted at the polls Monday to see that no illegal voting is attempted.

Marshal Carico appointed the following for special duty at the polls: Pat Rose, first ward; Dick Lowthian, second ward; Bert Pratt, third ward; John Langdon, fourth ward; J. S. Wharton, fifth ward; A. L. Millington, sixth ward.

The council requested Carico to select men who were acquainted with most of the voters in their wards and who would be quick to detect any attempt at illegal voting. "I have selected men who know the voters and who will act if any illegality is attempted at the polls," said Carico last night.

THE WEATHER.

For Arizona: Fair Sunday and Monday.

big bag reached the ground, trying to cling to the topmost point, trying to save himself.

NEW TENNIS CLUB ORGANIZED

Leases Ground and Lays Out Courts in Kinney Park.

A new tennis club has been organized with Howard Wayne president, Harold E. Bierce vice president, and P. P. Greer, secretary and treasurer. Twenty members have been enrolled. The club has leased ground in Kinney park and laid out its courts.

GOVERNORS MAP OUT BUSY YEAR FOR BOOSTERS

Chamber of Commerce Plans
Systematic Advertising
Campaign.

TO INVITE CAPITAL HERE

Geo. A. Smalley to Be Named
Secretary to Succeed
A. A. Cohn.

At an enthusiastic meeting of the board of governors of the chamber of commerce held last evening at the Dominion hotel, plans were made for a busy year of boosting for Globe and Globe resources. A systematic continuance of the work already begun will include a campaign of publicity that will place before the world the wonderful resources of the district and the opportunities here for capital to find profitable employment. Globe has magnificent resources and needs capital. The investing public has capital and needs employment for it. It will be the business of the chamber of commerce to bring these two elements in touch with each other, to the profit and advantage of both.

The meeting was called by President Ewing for the purpose of receiving reports of officers and transacting other business which required the attention of the board.

Assistant Secretary Smalley reported that 30,000 post cards had been ordered in New York, 29,000 of which are now being distributed by Page and Pickens, Globe's champion printers, and 1,000 of which have been shipped to Globe and are expected here soon.

It was reported to the board that the opening of the Globe National bank placed at their disposal about \$800,000, which in addition to money on hand, makes about \$1,000,000 belonging to the organization. There are no bills of any great amount against the chamber, and its financial condition may be considered very good.

Mrs. Cora S. Anthony, who has been acting as assistant secretary, reported that nearly one hundred members had paid their dues up to July 1, and a number more could be confidently counted on. She said a feeling of enthusiasm seemed to be general among the members for the continuance of the good work of the chamber, and that a little effort would result in a substantial increase in the membership.

While no officers were appointed by the board last night, it is understood that George H. Smalley, at present assistant secretary, will be named secretary to succeed A. A. Cohn, who resigned, and Mrs. Cora B. Anthony would be retained as assistant secretary. Mrs. Anthony has been doing the active secretarial work for some time past and has proven a very satisfactory and efficient officer. Mr. Smalley is an old-time newspaper man and thoroughly understands the publicity business. Any information concerning the business of the chamber can be had from Mrs. Anthony at her office in the Dominion hotel.

It is to be earnestly hoped that a lively interest will be taken by the members and citizens of Globe generally in the chamber of commerce, and the next members meeting, June 2, should be largely attended.

"WHITE WING" FLIES

HAMMONDSPORT, N. Y., May 23.—J. A. McCurdy handled the Baldwin air ship "White Wing" in its fifth flight today. One hundred and eighty-three yards were covered in 10.34 seconds by the machine, traveling at the rate of 125 miles per hour. The maximum height was about twenty feet from the ground.

KNABENSHUE HITS FENCE.

TOLEDO, Ohio, May 23.—Roy Knabenshue and his new airship capable of carrying three passengers, met with a disaster upon the occasion of its second flight today. Knabenshue attempted to alight in the baseball park, where a game was going on, but his machine became unmanageable and hit the fence back of the bleachers, carrying consternation to the crowd. The propellers and gear of the badly damaged air ship will be out of commission several days.

COMMITTEE PROMISES SURPRISES IN FIRE WORKS FOR FOURTH

H. Scheller, representing the Zellierback Paper company, of Los Angeles, is in the city in the interest of his house. Last evening he met the Fourth of July committee on fire works to give enlightenment on the most up-to-date pyrotechnic demonstration for public affairs.

The committee has under consideration a collection of special features that will be a most brilliant and fascinating spectacle to cover about two hours of time and afford a variety seldom witnessed. Among these are rockets of bouquets, lightning flashes, electric storms, streamers, diamond chains, jewel showers, floating festoons, chromatic colors, prismatic whirlwinds, volcanic mines, water falls, fire rockets and bombs of great variety, floating animals, mammoth balloons, etc.

Governor Johnson Denounces Crumpacker Amendment To Campaign Publicity

"A Bad Bill," He Says, "If It Passes and Becomes a Law, It Will Defeat the Nomination of Taft For the Presidency."



GOVERNOR JOHNSON OF MINNESOTA.

NORFOLK, May 23.—Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota, while in Norfolk today, denounced the Crumpacker amendment to the campaign publicity bill as passed by the house yesterday, and declared that if the senate passed it he does not see how the president can conscientiously sign it.

"It is a bad bill," said Governor Johnson. "If it passes the senate and becomes a law by the president's signature, I believe it will defeat the nomination of Secretary Taft for the presidency. That the measure will array the solid south against Taft's nomination is a certainty. However, I cannot see how President Roosevelt can approve the measure. The president has taken a stand for pure elections. His position is known to the country wide, and I do not believe that he will sign such a bill if it is put up to him. It will be suicidal."

When questioned regarding his name

HANNA MONUMENT DEDICATED IN CLEVELAND

Erected By Friends For His
Efforts to Get Peace
For Labor.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 23.—A monument in the memory of the late Senator Marcus A. Hanna was dedicated this afternoon in the presence of many special guests and thousands of spectators.

The oration was given by John W. Griggs, former attorney general, who was followed by Warren S. Stone, Grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Vice President Fairbanks was to have presided, but was unable to attend. His place was filled by Ex-Governor Horrick, Secretary of War Taft, President Hadley of Yale, Governor Harris and staff were among the guests. The statue is of bronze and was designed by St. Gaudens. The figure is eight feet high. A bronze plate upon the pedestal reads:

"This monument was erected by friends and fellow citizens to commemorate his efforts for peace between capital and labor, his useful citizenship and his distinguished public service."

The statue was unveiled by Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick and Mrs. Mabel Hanna Parsons, daughters of the senator. The benediction was delivered by the Right Rev. W. A. Leonard, bishop of Ohio.

MANY AT BANK OPENING

Depositors and Officers Congratulate
One Another on Resumption.

The Globe National bank reopened its doors for business yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, after having been closed since November 5, 1907. The three hours the bank was open yesterday the officials were busy receiving and giving congratulations for one another's co-operation for the reopening of the bank.

No figures could be obtained of the first day's business, but the deposits were greatly in excess of the withdrawal.

NO ADJOURNMENT BOTH HOUSES KEEP GRINDING

Congress Fails to Complete
Business on Schedule
Time.

ONLY SUPPLY BILLS UP

Houses Will Consider No
Other Measures This
Session.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—When the senate began business today it was with the idea that no bills should be passed which would complicate the situation in the house and result in further delay of the final adjournment.

Before the senate convened and after the conference with the other principal leaders of the senate, Senator Aldrich visited the house and informed the leaders that the senate was ready to adjourn just as soon as disposition should be made of the conference reports on the supply bills. He suggested that if the house is not ready the senate could adjourn after this morning's business until Monday.

Speaker Cannon was on the opinion that action could be had today on the sundry civil appropriation bill, as well as one or two other appropriation measures, and that if the senate and house were both in session during today a number of measures could be gotten out of the way.

There was a large number of conference reports before the house, but now it is well understood that most of them, other than reports on the supply bills, will be allowed to go over until next session. There is a prospect of getting through Monday or even through the minority filibuster in the house continues.

Senator Owen of Oklahoma spoke on his joint resolution providing for the amendment of the constitution for the election of senators by direct vote of the people will be referred to the states of action and it is stated that twenty-seven states have voted in favor of the "reform" and that the senators from those states should support the resolution. He moved for a vote on the passage of the measure, but his motion to send it to the committee on privileges and elections carried.

Ineffectual efforts were made by Senator Beveridge of Indiana to pass the omnibus territories bill by Newlands to secure consideration of the resolution creating an inland waterways commission.

At 5:30 p. m., just before the close of the day's session, Senator Hale announced an agreement made in executive session to take a recess until 8 p. m. with the understanding that the night session would be devoted exclusively to considering the conference reports, such measures as could be taken up by unanimous consent.

When the senate met today there was a general understanding that nothing would be done to delay the final adjournment and that no legislation would be enacted beyond completing the consideration of the great supply bills.

The net result of the day's session was the adoption of the conference agreement on the postoffice appropriation bill, items in the latter measure relating to the weighing of mails, the ocean mails subsidy being sent back to the conference.

GLOBEITES AT HOT SPRINGS

Grubbs Makes Record as Oarsman—
Oldfield Is Recovering.

Special to the Silver Belt.

INDIAN HOT SPRINGS, May 23.—Mr. J. G. Oldfield is rapidly recovering from rheumatism and has laid aside his cane.

Mr. J. C. Moore is recovering from a severe case of rheumatism, which has troubled him for some time.

Mr. C. E. Grubbs made quite a record as an oarsman before his departure for Safford last Friday morning. He will return to Globe after a trip to the wilds of the Graham mountains.

Miss Lou Bolton is enjoying a much needed rest at the Springs.

A number of Globeites are expected at the Springs on the regular Sunday excursion.

DOLPH BAATZ & CO. PREPARE FOR ANOTHER WEEK OF BIG SELLING

The closing out sale at the People's store of Dolph Baatz & Co. is proving a very important event in the trade annals of Globe. Great crowds have attended the sale during the past week and taken advantage of the rare bargains offered, and the prospects for still greater crowds during the coming week are very flattering.

It is the intention of Baatz & Co. to close out their entire stock, which was purchased at this season's selling, and in order to do so they have made prices on all goods never before quoted in this city. In a half page advertisement, which appears on page 10 of this issue, an entirely new price list is given and the goods offered are in the main new goods, delayed in shipment and received during the past week. Economical buyers will not ignore this rare opportunity and a big rush is sure to be on at Baatz again this week.